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MAIL.

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PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

New Advertisements.

STORAGE FOR OPIUM.
THE Undersigned is prepared to STORE
Opium in a first class Granite Godown
on the premises of the Chartered Meran-
tine Bank.

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW
ZEALAND.—Gordon & Gotch, Mel-
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SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports
generally.—WHITE & BAUER, San
Francisco

CHINA.—Stewart, Drown & Co, Amoy,
Giles & Co, Foochow, Thompson &
Co, Shanghai, H. Fogg & Co, Ma-
ndra, C. Karuth & Co

ARRIVALS.

June 13, Wilhelmina, from Whampoa.
June 12, Leon Leon, French Barque, 269,
Monset, Bombay, March 3, General—R.

BROTHER & CO.
June 13, Yesso, Brit. steamer, 508, Ash-
ton, Swatow, Anoy and Foochow, June 10,
11 and 12, General.—D. LAPRAIK & CO.

DEPARTURES.

June 13, Neelie, for Whampoa.
13, Maria, for Hakodadi.
13, Costa Rica, for Saigon.
13, Lima, for Saigon.
13, United Service, for Shanghai.

PAISSEGER.

Per Yesso.—The Right Revd. Lord Bis-
hop of Victoria; Messrs Danielson, Rowett,
Warner and Johnson, and 50 Chinese.

CLEARANCES.

For fixtures, for Whampoa.
Store, for Foochow.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The Yesso reports steady W.S.W. breeze
from Foochow to Amoy, from time light-
air and squally weather. The steamship
Un is arrived at Foochow on the morning
of the 10th.

For further Arrivals, New Adver-
tisements, &c., &c., see 4th page.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SINGAPORE, MAURITIUS
AND LONDON.
The Ocean Steam-ship Co.'s
Steamer "ACHILLES,"

Russian Master, is expect-
ed here on Tuesday evening next, the 16th
instant, and will be despatched the follow-
ing day, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BIRLEY & CO.
Hongkong, June 13, 1868. 17jun

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.
The Steam-ship "YESSION,"

Captain Ashton will have
immediate despatch for the above ports.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & CO.
Hongkong, June 13, 1868.

FOR SAIGON.
The British 3-masted Schooner
"L'INNE,"

Captain Peterlin, will have
quick despatch as above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
JOHN BURD & CO.
Hongkong, June 13, 1868. 20jun

FOR SWATOW.
SAIGON, "L'INNE,"

will leave for the above places at Noon, on
MONDAY, the 15th instant.

W. MACAULAY,
Superintendent.
Hongkong, June 12, 1868. 15jun

(CONSIGNEES of the undermentioned
packages per "HUSKY" are hereby
advised that the same have been landed and
stored at their risk and expense.

E. 20 casks Ale.
M. & Co. 2 cases Merchandise.
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C P & Co. 1 " Do.
R & Co. (in dr.) 1 " Do.
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HOLIDAY, WISE & CO.
Hongkong, June 12, 1868.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned having PURCHASED
the Interest of the "WAN CHAI STEAM
BAKERY," begs to notify the Public of Hong-
kong and Ship Masters that he is prepared
to furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREWD
in various forms, to any part of the Co-
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Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at
low rates constantly on hand; or baked in
quantities at short notice.

Also Water, Butter, Soda and Sugar
BISCUITS by the barrel, Tin or Pound.
Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY,
CORN STARCH, BICARB. SODA, Sal-
tations and CREAM TARTRAC.

FLOUR of best brands constantly on
hand supplied by the barrel, Bag, Tin or
Pound.

CAKE of all kinds baked to order.

The above is under the superintendence
of Mr JONATHAN PARSONS, and all orders
forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at
Messrs THOS. BENT & CO.'s will receive
prompt attention.

L. P. WARD.
Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

MRS. VINTON'S PRIVATE FAMILY
BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT,
Hollywood Road, next door to the Hotel
DE EUROPE.

Hongkong, May 1, 1867.

C. L. VOLKMANN,

Private Boarding Establishment.

29, HOLLYWOOD ROAD,
HONGKONG.

Hongkong, January 7, 1868.

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For Sale.

JUST ARRIVED.
(From "Peter Denny.")
FINEST FLORENCE OIL, for Salad, at \$6 per dozen.
Apply to G. DUBOST & Co.,
Hongkong, June 5, 1868.

FOR SALE.
EX "CLASHON" and "Peter Denny."
RAUGHT BEER in Hogsheads and Kilderkins.
Draught STOUT in half Hogsheads.
Apply to MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.,
Hongkong, June 2, 1868.

FOR SALE.
A CABRIOLET PHAETON, with driving Seat in front, Fashionable SHAPE, HOOD, LAMPS, &c., a very Handsome CARRIAGE.
Apply to LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,
Hongkong, June 1, 1868.

FOR SALE.
EX "ESTAFETTE" and other Arrivals.
GENUINE AVH GIN in red cases 16
(1 squares).
Genuine AVH GIN, in white bottles.
Palm-tree Brand GIN, in 15 squares.
Dutch CURACAO, in stone bottles.
At LAMBERT, ATKINSON & Co.,
Hongkong, May 22, 1868.

Docks.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL, \$750,000.
IN 1,500 SHARES, OF \$500 EACH.

THE COMPANY'S DOCKS AT ABERDEEN and WHAMPONG are in full working order, and the attention of Ship-owners is respectfully solicited to the advantages which these Establishments offer for the Docking and Repair of Vessels.

The following description of the Premises is submitted for the information of the Public.

ABERDEEN DOCK.
DOCK No. 1.

Built of GRANITE.
Length, 330 feet.
Breadth, 80
Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 18
do. Neap Tides, 16

NEW DOCK, No. 2.

Built of GRANITE.
Length, 400 feet.
Breadth, 90
Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 24
do. Neap Tides, 21

This Dock is now under course of construction.

WHAMPOA DOCKS.
DOCK A.

Built of GRANITE.
Length, 350 feet.
Breadth, 80
Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 17
do. Neap Tides, 15

The above are the largest Docks in China and they are fitted with every appliance in the way of Caissons, powerful Steam Pumps, &c., to ensure safety and despatch in work.

DOCK B.

Built of GRANITE.
Length, 340 feet.
Breadth, 60
Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 18
do. Neap Tides, 15

DOCK C.

Built of WOOD.
Length, 260 feet.
Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 14
do. Neap Tides, 11

Fitted with Caissons and Steam Pumps.

DOCK D.

Length, 104 feet.
Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 12.6
do. Neap Tides, 9.6

DOCK E.

Length, 120 feet.
Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 11
do. Neap Tides, 8

D. and E. are Mud Docks available for small vessels, at very low rates.

WORKSHOPS.

The Workshops on the Premises, both at Aberdeen and Whampong, possess every appliance necessary for the Repair of Ships or Steam Machinery. The Engineer's Shops are supplied with Lathes, Planing, Screw-cutting, Punching Machines, &c., &c., capable of executing work on the largest scale, and Blacksmith's Shops are equally well supplied with plant, and the work is entirely carried on under the supervision of experienced Europeans.

Powerful Lifting Shears stand on a Jetty alongside where vessels can lie in 24 feet water and take in or out boilers, masts, &c.

BOILERMAKERS' DEPARTMENT.

The company in addition to executing Repairs are prepared to tender for supplying new Boilers to Steam-ships for constructing which they have great facilities.

FOUNDRY.

Iron and Brass Castings, either for Ships or general purposes, are executed with the utmost despatch.

STORES.

The Company's Stores will (when required) supply at moderate rates all the necessaries for Shipwork, such as Paint, Copper, Canvas, &c., &c.

STEAM TUG.

The Company's powerful Steam Tug NAME (100 Horse-power nominal) is always in readiness to Tow Sailing Vessels from Hongkong to the Dock free of charge, and will take them back or to Sea at reduced rates.

For further particulars, apply at the Office of the Company, d'Aguilar Street, Hongkong.

JOHN S. LAPRAIK,
Secretary.

N. B.—The Commissaries of Master and Vessel seeing reason to complain of the work done in the Docks, or in any way respecting the Dock arrangements, should address the Secretary on the subject—when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company.

Hongkong, October 13, 1868.

Insurances

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.
DETACHED and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Contents, 1 per cent.
Other Dwelling-Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents, 1 per cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their Contents, 1 per cent.

NOTICE.
WITH reference to the following Resolutions passed at a Meeting of the Shareholders of the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company held on the 8th instant, applications for Shares in the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited will be received by the General Managers, the form of application to be as follows:

To the General Managers and Consulting Committee of the HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED,

I request you to allot me Shares of One Thousand Dollars each in the above named Company, and I agree to accept such Shares, or any less number which may be allotted to me, and to pay a Call of One Hundred Dollars per Share on allotment, and a further Call of One Hundred Dollars per Share, six months after allotment, and I further undertake to subscribe to the Dues of Settlement when called on to do so.

I remain, Gentlemen,
Your obedient Servant,

GILMAN & CO.,
Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.

Hongkong, March 9, 1866.

RESOLUTIONS REFERRED TO ABOVE.

NOTICE.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

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DETACHED and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Contents, 1 per cent.

Other Dwelling-Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents, 1 per cent.

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NOTICE.

Notices of Firms.

MR. R. A. H. TOLLUS GLUZENKAMP, being from this date interested in our Firm, will sign the same per procuratum. REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co. Hongkong, June 1, 1868. Isop

NOTICE.
WE have established Mr. J. R. CUNNINGHAM as our Agent in Amoy and all business addressed to his care comes under our control.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkong, June 1, 1868. 15jul

NOTICE.
MR BENJAMIN ROBERT STANFORD was admitted a Partner in our Firm on 1st January, 1868. J. McDONALD & Co., Shipwrights. Hongkong, May 1, 1868. 1ag

NOTICE.
WE have authorized Mr. CLACE BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

NOTICE.
THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. RICHARD B. PARK in our Firm ceased on the 31st March, 1868.

ALFRID WILKINSON & Co. Hongkong, April 16, 1868. 30jun

NOTICE.
THE interest and responsibility of Mr. W. C. VAN OORDT in our firm ceased on the 1st January, 1868.

ROSMAN & Co. Hongkong, November 19, 1867.

I have this day established myself as a General Commission Merchant under the style or firm of VAN OORDT & CO. (Sal) W. O. VAN OORDT. Yokohama, October 24, 1867. 15f

NOTICE.
FROM and after this date Mr. GEORGE F. BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company at this Port.

S. L. PHELPS, Agent. Hongkong, August 15, 1868.

NOTICE.
THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. FREDERICK NISSEN in our Firm ceased on the 26th April last.

The Business will in future be conducted under the Style and Firm of ROBERTSON & Co. in which Mr. PETER GABAIN has been admitted a Partner.

NISSEN & ROBERTSON, Ningpo, May 9, 1868. 19ag

NOTICE.
THE connection of the Undersigned with the Firm of MESSRS THOS. HENY & Co. ceases from this date.

J. M. ARMSTRONG. Hongkong, May 1, 1868.

NOTICE.
MR. FERNAND NISSEN and MR. HEINRICH HOPPERS have been authorized to sign our First here and in China from this date.

SELENSEN & Co. Hongkong, May 12, 1868. 19ag

NOTICE.
MR. J. MURRAY FORBES is authorized to sign our name at Canton from this date.

RUSSELL & Co. China, February 15, 1868.

NOTICE.
MR. GEORGE MCKRILL SMITH is authorized to sign our Firm per pro-curation from this date.

COARE, LIND & Co. Canton, June 4, 1868. July6

NOTICE.
MR. RYLE HOLME has been admitted a partner in our firm.

GLOVER & Co. Nagasaki, January 1, 1867.

NOTICE.
I HAVE this day established myself at this Port as a Public Tea Inspector and General Commission Agent under the Style or Firm of JOHN ODELL & Co.

JOHN ODELL. Foochow, April 13, 1868. 16jul

NOTICE.
FROM and after this date, Captain J. C. SAUNDERS will undertake the Business of my Marine Surveying at this port.

J. T. DRING, Marine Surveyor.

Foochow, August 1, 1867.

NOTICE.
WITH reference to the above, the business hitherto carried on by H. J. DIXON, Esq., at Foochow will be conducted by the Undersigned.

J. C. SAUNDERS, Chop Min, Pagoda Anchorage. Foochow.

Foochow, August 1, 1867.

NOTICE.
I HAVE established myself at this port as a General Storekeeper and Commission Agent.

JAMES EDWARDS. 89, Yokohama, March 19, 1868.

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MELCHERS & Co.

Hongkong, October 1, 1866.

NOTICE.
A N OFFICE with Godown and Com-pradore's Room.

Apply to MELCHERS & Co.

Hongkong, October 1, 1866.

Houses and Lands.

TO LET.

1 HOUSE in Spring Gardens, containing four Round and Out Houses; Rent, \$28 per month. Apply at the Victoria Foundry. Hongkong, March 12, 1868.

TO BE LET.

10, Shelley Street. Gas and Water laid on. Apply to THOS. HOWARD, Stanton Street. Hongkong, June 6, 1868.

TO LET.

4 COMMODIOUS HOUSES, situated in Morrison Hill, commanding a thorough view of the Harbour, with Stables, &c. Apply to

THOMAS WALLACE, East Point Gardens. Hongkong, June 6, 1868.

TO BE LET.

1 TWO New and Strong GODOWNS on Marine Lot No. 63. Apply to

GAVIN THOMPSON, at Ginn, Lavin Iston & Co.'s, Hongkong, December 16, 1867. 15f

TO LET.

1 THE Large Matched No. 3, at Pokfulum, containing five rooms with out-houses and Stables attached. Water laid.

For particulars, apply to H. PESTONEE SETNA, at Messrs P. A. C. CAMAJEE & Co.'s Office, Hongkong, June 2, 1868.

TO LET.

1 THE Undersigned will undertake to let Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Merchandise in their own Boats, and to receive the same on STORAGE in First-class Granite godowns on Moderate Terms.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, March 4, 1868.

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ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, March 4, 1868.

TO LET.

1 THE OFFICE and GODOWN situated at the corner of Wellington and Aberdeen Streets, and at present in the occupation of Messrs EIMENHORST & SANDERS.

For particulars, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO'S STORES.

At LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, May 22, 1868.

TO LET.

1 FURNISHED or UNFURNISHED. HE DWELLING HOUSE in the Albany at present occupied by Mr. N. R. MASSON. Occupation can be had in a few weeks. Application can be made to Mr. MASSON at the Albany.

Hongkong, September 25, 1867.

TWO HOUSES TO BE LET.

1 RECENTLY put in thorough repair, situated on the RISE OF THE HILL, Westward, and an easy distance from the Queen's Road. Apply to

MIC. BARRINGTON, 17, Portland Street.

Hongkong, May 13, 1868.

STORAGE.

1 AN is had in First Class Granite Godowns at Wan-chai, on very moderate terms.

For particulars, apply to CHARLES RIVINGTON, At Messrs LANDSTEIN & Co.'s Office, Stanley Street.

Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

TO LET.

1 AN ATTENTION to the undemanded new Goods ex Overland Mail, Wengus Castle, Black Prince, Chusan, Peter Dewey, and Diamond.

Nursery LAMPS.

KERAS' JOE MAKING APPARATUS.

Coffee ROASTERS.

Sausage MACHINES.

Cook's BOILERS, KETTLES, & Kitchen Articles of all kinds.

Travelling BATHS.

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BIRDSEYE and other first rate TOBACCO.

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PERAMBULATORS.

BISCUITS.

The "Wheel of Life."

Breakfast CLARET.

Dust SPECTACLES.

HATS in great variety, and new shapes.

Olinman's STORES.

Photographic ALBUMS.

Hongkong, June 8, 1868. june22

STEAM COALS.

For Sale from Store, or deliverable on Board.

L. DAVISON'S London-West Hartley, Straker-West Hartley.

Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

FOR SALE.

Just Arrived.

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THE DYNASTY OF THE ROTHSCHILD.

(Translated from "Les Mémoires du Boulevard.") Above all things, dear reader, permit me to present to you a young man, who certainly is worthy of exciting your attention and interest. He is 22 years old, bears an honorable name, and wears only since a short time the official robe of a French lawyer. He lives in Paris, in the Rue Taitbout, and his name is Nathaniel James Edward de Rothschild. The enthusiasm with which he devotes himself to his profession, and his fortune, induces him not to ask for fees; may he is able and willing to advance money to his clients.

Baron Edward is the son of Baron Nathaniel, and a nephew of Baron James de Rothschild. He found a very decent annual income in his cradle; nevertheless, he did not forget that no member of his family is allowed to spend his money in idleness, and as he had no taste for financial affairs, he resolved to devote himself to jurisprudence.

The fortunate young lawyer has only one misfortune to bemoan: for seven years past his father has been confined to his easy chair, for Baron Nathaniel de Rothschild is blind and paralyzed. Baron Nathaniel is the nephew and son-in-law of Baron James de Rothschild; he married the great banker's daughter, who bore to him two sons, the elder of whom is our wealthy client.

The James de Rothschild, the head of the famous family, possesses in the Rue Laítte one of the greatest banking-houses in the world. He is 73 years old, and still strong and active—so much so, indeed, that he has hitherto always declined to leave the management of his immense business to his children. His will alone decides everything, and his two sons, Alphonse and Gustavus, are only the Secretaries of State of their lord and father. His Majesty James I., King of Millions, and lender of millions to the kings of this world.

Baron James de Rothschild married the daughter of his brother Solomon, for the Rothschilds do not intermarry with other families. A rare exception was the marriage of Baron Gustavus de Rothschild, who married Miss Anspach, eldest daughter of a judge of the Supreme Court of France. His young bride brought him a dowry of 500,000 francs. On the evening of the wedding day, when Baron Gustavus took his bride to his mansion, he handed her a small package, and said to her: "The first request of your husband (and you know you must not refuse such a request) is, that you may take back these 500,000 francs and add them to your little sister's dower." So much do they care for a miller's daughter.

THE EXHIBITION AT JERUSALEM.—The present day witnesses an effort to add to these invaluable reliques of ancient artists objects that may form an entirely new series in our galleries. Jewish art is highly peculiar. From the religious prohibition to produce likenesses of the human face or form, or of that of any living animal, the Hebrew goldsmith, silversmith, sculptor, or embroiderer was confined to the representation of foliage, fruit, and flowers, to the meanderings of arabesque, and to the production, on some occasions at least, of those mysterious symbolic adornments of the sacred capital, the description of which most closely tattles with the forms of the winged bulls and winged lions of the exhumed Assyrian cities.

An effort is now being made which, if continued, bids fair to place before us all that

yet remains of an ancient and peculiar style of art, which formed in Egypt and Phoenicia, and cognate, it would seem, to Mesopotamian design, had attained a high and rare degree of excellence three thousand four hundred years ago.

No time is to be lost. The advantage

which the energy of the explorers has won

from the superstition and bigotry of the

lords of the Holy City, incredible as it

would have appeared to earlier travellers

in Palestine, should be followed up to the

utmost. A denise of the turban of the

Sultan, a change in the Pasha of Jerusalem,

an outbreak of Moslem fanaticism, a re-opening

of the ever-threatening Eastern question,

might at any hour close the shafts and galleries that are even now in danger from

the want of those shores and frames that

the exploration committee have no funds to

provide. The result of a cessation of the

works would be most disastrous. Positive

injury to the discovered relics would be

occasional, and the solution of some of the

most interesting questions that can engage

the attention of the investigator would be

postponed sine die. Every lover of ancient

art should hasten to send his obols to

support the Palestine exploration fund.

There is one point to which the researches

of Lieutenant Warren have not as yet

been directed. Of the three hills which

constituted the city of Jerusalem in the

time of Vespasian, it seems to be Moriah,

the site of the Temple and of the tower

of Antonia, and to the ravines and valleys which surrounded it, that the labors

of the explorers have been confined. There

is a probability, perhaps more than a

probability, that the yet more anciently

fortified hill, that of Zion, contains reliques

without any parallel in interest among the

sepulchral treasures of the past. In the

bows of that mountain, there is ample

ground for belief, were excavated the tombs

of David and of many of his successors.

Tradition yet points to certain passages

which, to y'all, it may be profounder exten-

sions, are spoken of as David's tomb.

It seems tolerably clear that these sepul-

chres never have been rifled. The sang-

ford that would bare the body of an Egyp-

tian queen from her violated tomb to a Eu-

ropean museum was unknown to the ear-

nest men of past times. The courses laid

on the violators of sepulchres were feared

even by those who might doubt the super-

natural terror that Josephs tells us fall

on Herod the Great, and that the latest

travellers find to be still attributed to the

tombs of Jesus. That the embalmed corpse

of David and of Solomon, clothed in robes

of state, adorned with crown and sceptre,

surrounded by implements of daily use, by

coins and measures and weights of their

day, and by reverently-treasured copies of

the law, written on indestructible papyrus,

may yet lie within the sepulchral vaults of

Zion, as fresh as any the sarcophagi of con-

temporary Egyptian kings is, to our mind,

more probable than otherwise. But, how-

ever correct such an anticipation may here-

after prove, the beautiful drawings of De

Vogel are sufficient to assure us that rich

artistic treasures cannot fail to attend the

prosecution of the exploration now proceed-

ing in Palestine. Mr Grove's committee

have, quietly and unpretendingly, com-

menced the performance of an unrivalled

service to literature, to history, and to

the theory, and history of art, both struc-

tural and decorative. The cessation or the

slackening of their exertions would be felt

as an almost personal misfortune by all

who becomes the most available

and accessible man in all Paris.

He is well acquainted with, and very fond

of authors and artists. Last fall, for in-

stance, he met with a celebrated painter at

an official dinner party.

"How do you do?" asked the million-

naire.

"Very well, thank you, Baron."

"Why, I never see you any more. Pray

come and see me at Ferrières. Draw them

a hand on some of my game."

"Baron," replied the painter, laughing,

"It would be more agreeable to me to draw

on Baron James de Rothschild for 10,000

francs."

"Well, you may do so," said the Baron,

"but not draw before the close of

the month; for, on the 15th instant I have

to pay already more drafts than I like to see

come in."

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Sewing Machine.—The French are

just claiming the honor of inventing the

sewing machine, on behalf of one Barthélémy Thimonnier, a dissolute young tailor

of St. Etienne, who did not like playing the

needle himself, but, without any mechanical

ideas, set about making a machine to do

it for him. It is asserted that, after years

of labor, he perfected a plan and obtained

a patent in 1830; and further, that he got

rid of his machine, with himself to Paris

and sold his rights to a Manchester company.

A Stocking Negro.—A quaint negro

was recently exhibited in the

Salon of the Royal Society of Arts.

He was a native of the West Indies,

and had been brought to England by his

master, a Mr. Bunting, a physician.

He was a tall, thin, dark-skinned

negro, with a large nose and

dark eyes, and a very

handsome figure.

He was dressed in a

white shirt and breeches,

and a white cap, and

had a white apron over his

clothes, and a white

stocking on each foot.

He was seated in a

large wooden chair,

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